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Promotion of Milk Production
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes being implemented by the Government in various States of the country including Bihar for promoting milk production; and

(b) the details of the projects started in Bihar for promoting Agriculture and Dairy Development projects during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) The Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairy & Fisheries is implementing the following Dairy Development schemes to augment milk production in the country including Bihar
(i) National Dairy Plan (Phase-I):
The Government of India has approved National Dairy Plan Phase- I (NDP-I) with an outlay of Rs. 2,242 Crore for implementation during 2011-12 to 2018-19 as a Central Sector Scheme in 18 major milk producing states. The Scheme is implemented through National Dairy Development Board with objective to help to increase the productivity of milch animals and also help rural milk producers with greater access to the organized market.

(ii) National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD) under Central Sector Scheme "National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development"(NPBBDD)

The Scheme, was approved during 2013-14 with the budget provision of Rs.600 crore for NPDD component for implementation during 12th Plan. The objective of the scheme is to enhance productivity of milch animals and create dairy infrastructure for improved procurement, processing and marketing.
(iii) Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme. (DEDS)

"Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme (DEDS)" is implemented through National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) across the country with an aim to generate self-employment opportunities in the dairy sector, covering activities such as enhancement of milk production, procurement, preservation, transportation, processing and marketing of milk by providing back ended capital subsidy(@ 25% of the project cost to the General Category and @33.33% of the project cost to SC/ST category) to farmers/beneficiaries for bankable projects through NABARD subject to the norms of the scheme.

(b) Under NDP-1, twenty five sub projects have been approved for implementation in Bihar with the total outlay of Rs.50.68 crore out of which Rs.46.66 crore is grant assistance and Rs. 4.01 crore is share of Implementing Agency.

A project under NPDD was approved during year 2014-15 with total outlay of Rs.2496.18 lakh (Central Share-Rs.1446.08 lakh) covering the districts of East Champaran, West Champaran, Siwan and Gopalganj. The first instalment of Central Share of Rs.833.94 lakh was released to Bihar State Milk Cooperative Federation Ltd during 2014-15.The released amount was refunded by Bihar State Milk Cooperative Federation in year 2016-17 due to non-availability of matching State share form State Government/Implementing Agency.

Under Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme (DEDS), Rs.46.45 crore back ended capital subsidy has been disbursed through NABARD to establish 11676 dairy units upto Februray,2017 in the State of Bihar.

Under Rashtriya Krsihi Vikas Yojna (RKVY), projects for an amount of Rs.1307.04 crore has been approved during last three years for Crop Development, Horticulture, Fisheries, Cooperatives, Agriculture mechanization, Marketing and Post-harvest mangment,Extension, micro-minor irrigation, organic/bio fertilizer, dairy development and innovative programmes in the State of Bihar.

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